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TALK ABOUT ROMANISM

Status of the Catholic Church From a Methodist Standpoint.

AS A POLITICAL POWER

Opposed to the Donation of Public Money for the Support of Parochial Schools.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—The general topic of discussion at this morning's session of the Methodist convention was Romanism. Rev. M. T. Myers, president of the United Methodist Free church of Rochdale, England, delivered an essay on the present position of Romanism.

Rev. M. Tyars, of the Primitive M. E. church, spoke at length upon "The Present Position of Romanism." In the course of his remarks he said the present occupant of the chair of St. Peter is a man every way worthy of the position, but he lives to regain the temporal power lost more than 20 years ago; but if we are not mistaken there is no need to fear any attempt on the part of Romanism to usurp temporal power, either in Great Britain or America. For once his holiness has spoken out with intelligence and precision that must command respect. His encyclical touches questions that lie at the basis of our social fabric which will have to be faced and dealt with by both church and state, but the subject of education is that most likely to form the battle ground between the two great countries, parties into which we are naturally divided ourselves, both in England and America. Make all churches equal with the state, give all fair play, and, if in the race Romanism can out-run us, we shall have only ourselves to blame, and on the head of Protestantism will be the eternal disgrace. It is universally admitted a new era of clearer light is bursting upon us. As the light increases Rome moves in parallel lines and tries hard to show she is in favor of the rights and liberties of man. Reformation or extinction are before her.

As red as she is with the blood of martyrs, we would charitably hope that in advancing the light which will beat upon the thrones and rulers and governments, Rome may see her deformity and be led to penitence and reformation. A United Methodist, Rev. Dr. F. A. Albion, Mich., spoke on "Romanism as a Political Power." Viewed historically, he said, the Roman church appears as most determined at times, the mightiest political power on the face of the earth. Palliate it as much as we may, hers has been a career of attempted usurpation of political prerogatives. In these United States she has been persistent in her demands for a share pro rata of our state school funds for the support of her parochial schools. At the polls and in the courts they have sought to reject the Bibles from the public schools. Her priests are known to dictate at political elections, but the political vanity of Romanism is becoming deplored. There are intelligent Catholics in this country like Cardinal Gibbons and Archbishop Ireland, who plainly see if the church is to flourish and get the most out of the times as they sweep onward, she must not waste her energies in the unequal fight with enlightened and progressive civilization, but must clasp hands and make her ally.

Rev. Mr. Nicholas of the Irish M. E. church delivered an address on "Romanism as a Religious Power." He admitted at once, and without hesitation, that there is much that is true and good in the church of Rome, and he desired his admission to modify, as far as necessary, his further statements. Rome is intolerant, but in one direction only; intolerant in words, independent in thought, but even lenient towards superstition, hence the belief in ecclesiastical miracles. Rome uses expediency and often lets it degenerate into deception. Rome has addressed itself to the cardinal, craving for materialistic realizations of invisible things. Not denying that she in different ages and lands has done good work, her influence on the whole is and has been evil. She has led many to skepticism. Nature redeems from superstition. She has produced a religion more devotional than moral, and hindered the progress of humanity. In support of the view that Rome is moribund, may be cited her inability to maintain her relative position with the mission field, a comparatively small number being added to the English speaking people. On the other hand may be cited her progress in England, her increasing number of churches and schools, universities and religious houses, and the seal of the priests and people. Rome is still vigorous and that a conflict may be the issue is not uncertain. Evangelical churches need to have all their wits about them.

At the afternoon session the general topic was temperance. Rev. Dr. Mason of the M. E. church, South, read a paper upon the subject of church and temperance reform.

Judge Bailey Dead.

LAWRENCE, Kan., Oct. 15.—Judge Lawrence D. Bailey died this morning at the age of 73 years. Judge Bailey came from New Hampshire in 1857. He belonged to the old free soil party in Kansas and was conspicuously identified with the stirring events which preceded the civil war. He was a member of the first state supreme court and responsible for the establishment of the state board of agriculture, which he organized out of his private fortune.

Will Pay His Debts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 15.—Late advices from Shanghai says: The Chinese government has consented to pay the sum borrowed fraudulently or contracted for by the ex-member of the Chinese legation in Paris.

Old Officers Re-elected.

GALESBURG, Ill., Oct. 15.—The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen this evening re-elected the old officers by acclamation and with every indication of the greatest enthusiasm.

FOR RAILROAD EMPLOYEES.

Gymnasium and Reading Rooms Will Be Established at Missoula.

Special to the Standard.

MISSOULA, Oct. 15.—A large meeting of railroad employees was held at K. of P. hall to-night for the purpose of starting a library and gymnasium for their own use. Colonel Ramsey called the meeting to order and stated its object. K. M. Nicolas was chosen chairman and H. T. Wilkinson secretary. The committee on organization made its report, recommending that the name of the organization be the Rocky Mountain Division Employees Literary and Athletic club, and what officers should be selected. The report was adopted and officers elected as follows: President, S. G. Ramsey; vice president, K. M. Nicolas; secretary, W. G. Woods; treasurer, R. Haskell, and a board of managers of 21 members, three from each of the seven departments to serve for three years, one-third to retire each year. The board was elected as follows: Shops—Watkins, Weiss and Canan. Engineers—Draper, Rodgers and Boden. Firemen—Mulligan, Sheppard and Lydick.

Conductors—Collins, Mills and Connors.

Brakemen and Switchmen—Dunning, Raymond and Drury.

Bridges, Buildings and Track Department—Russell, Hill and Gogarty.

General Offices and Depot—Boyd, Burke and Clark.

The chairman appointed a committee on constitution and by-laws, rules and regulations, finance, amusements, literary and selection of rooms. After attending to some further business the meeting adjourned.

THE FLY WHEEL BURST.

A Number of Girl Employees of a Factory Lose Their Lives.

Special to the Standard.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 15.—By the bursting of a monster engine in the mill of the Amoskeag corporation this morning a portion of the building was torn away. It is reported that six or seven dead bodies have been taken from the ruins and that 20 other employees were injured and several are not accounted for. A large force of men are working on the ruins.

Eleven girls were employed in the room over the engine house. When the fly wheel burst they were carried to the basement in the ruins. Four escaped with slight bruises, three were probably fatally injured and four others painfully bruised and cut. The body of Engineer Bunker was found in the wheel pit with his head smashed, and Emil Delano, a boy employed in the top story of No. 5 mill, was fatally injured by a piece of the fly wheel which came through the window and struck him. Mamie Kline, one of the injured girls, died this afternoon.

MISSOULA CITY BONDS.

Brokers Want Them Made Payable in Gold—Sale Postponed.

Special to the Standard.

MISSOULA, Oct. 15.—The sale of city bridge and sewer bonds was advertised to take place at 3 p. m. to-day. At the appointed hour there were assembled at the city hall E. C. Barrow, of Elgin, Foster & Barrow of Spokane; J. C. Comstock of Helena, representing Lamprecht Bros. & Co. of Cleveland, Ohio; E. M. Tower, representing Gay & Stanwood of Boston, and Walter Bruce, representing the Rollins Investment company of Denver. The bids offered were at par, with the city paying a commission for handling the bonds, and were not entertained by Clerk Hobbs. A question was raised as to the class of bonds, and the clerk announced that they would be payable in lawful money of the United States. The bidders wanted them payable in gold, and some declined to bid if they were not made so. The sale was continued till to-morrow afternoon.

HOSKINS-SCHAEFER.

Marriage of Two of Missoula's Well Known Young People.

Special to the Standard.

MISSOULA, Oct. 15.—At 4 o'clock p. m. to-day at the residence of the bride's parents, Miss Adeline Schaefer was married to R. H. Hoskins, Rev. H. H. Lamont officiating. Both parties are well known and have many friends in Missoula. The bride has lived here for some time, and the groom came here from Portland, Ore., about a year and a half ago and opened a business college. For the past few months he has been engaged as bookkeeper for the Missoula Electric Light company. They will make their home in Missoula.

Socialist Congress.

ENFERT, Oct. 15.—At to-day's session of the socialist congress, the committee reports showed important results were achieved during the past year. The budget showed revenues \$50,000 and expenditures \$38,000. Herr Warner made a long speech criticizing the report and condemning the optimism and Chauvinism which, he said, was displayed by leaders in their speeches. Then Herr Bebel stirred up a row by referring to Werner and Widderger's public assertions that a member of the committee had accepted \$1,250 in consideration of political services and both gentlemen named by expelled unless the charge be withdrawn. A great uproar followed.

Statue of St. Joseph.

Special to the Standard.

MISSOULA, Oct. 15.—Rev. Father Diomedes has received from Rev. Father Cataldo, general superintendent of Rocky Mountain missions, a beautiful statue of St. Joseph as a memorial of the De Smet novitiate of Idaho.

Northern Pac. Co. Earnings.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—The report of the Northern Pacific Railway company (exclusive of the Wisconsin Central) shows a net income of \$11,344,000 for the year ending June 30 last. After the expenses and dividends are paid out there is a surplus of \$488,000.

Many Buildings Destroyed.

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 15.—A dispatch from Virquea, Wis., says a fire which broke out at noon, destroyed all buildings on the east side of Main street, entailing a loss of \$50,000. Virquea is Secretary Rusk's old home.

COUNT VON ARCO-VALLEY DEAD.

News of the Death of the German Minister at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—A dispatch received here by the secretary of the German legation and who has been acting charge d'affaires during the absence of Count Von Arco-Valley in Europe, conveys the information that the latter is dead. The secretary a week ago received a letter from the minister in which the latter spoke of an operation which he expected to have performed and expressed the hope that he would pull through it successfully. Von Arco-Valley was in the 47th year of his age at the time of his death. The deceased minister was in the Red Cross association service during the Franco-German war. Soon after the war he went into the Bavarian diplomatic service and was secretary of legation to the Vatican at Rome. Later he entered the imperial German service as a diplomat and in 1873 was secretary of legation at Vienna. During his incumbency of that office he married the actress Janisch, in consequence of which he left the diplomatic service of the government. It was only a short time, however, before he separated from his wife, after which he was again received into favor by his government and served at different times as secretary of legation at Madrid, Paris and London, also as secretary of the German embassy to the king of Italy.

After some service at Rome he was appointed consul general to Cairo, Egypt, at which place he remained until the spring of '88, when he received the appointment of minister to the United States, which office he held at the time of his death.

The acting secretary of state sent a cable message to Minister Phelps at Berlin this morning conveying the president's condolence over the death of Count Von Arco-Valley, German minister at Washington.

MAILED IN TORONTO.

Louisiana Lottery Shows No Shelter in Canada.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—In a letter addressed to the postmaster general of Canada, Postmaster General Wanamaker says that the Louisiana Lottery company has established an agency at Toronto, and is flooding the United States with its circulars, in sealed envelopes, from that point. As all lottery tickets and lottery circulars are held to be liable to customs duties, the postmasters at all United States exchange offices have been instructed to place a duty upon mail matter which they believe to contain dutiable articles. At the office of destination such matter is opened by the addressed in the presence of the customs officer, and if found to contain lottery matter is forfeited to the United States. Postmaster General Wanamaker has asked the Canadian postmaster general if it would be proper to instruct the postmaster at Toronto to stamp letters mailed there by the agent of the lottery company. If that course is pursued, the postmasters at the United States exchange offices, he says, will make a similar endorsement on his behalf of this country.

TO HIS MOTHER.

Balmaceda's Letter Telling of His Contemplated Long Journey.

VALPARAISO, Chile, Oct. 15.—A letter of Balmaceda to his mother, written only a few days before he committed suicide, has just been made public. It is as follows:

DEAR MOTHER—I go on a long journey. No time remains in which to bid you farewell. My implacable enemies will not let me succeed in coming home. The only thing I recommend is that you maintain your religious faith. Your son.

MANUEL.

Procurator Fag, who was supposed to have been shot on the day the junta captured Valparaiso, is alive after all. He is not in jail. With other political prisoners of prominence he will be tried by the tribunals.

The Cherokee Strip.

GUTHRIE, D. T., Oct. 15.—Governor Steele's first report has been made public. He favors the opening of the Cherokee lands and urgently recommends a different mode than that used recently in opening townships to settlement.

Speaking of opening lands on the western border the governor says that unless arrangements are made to throw them open early next spring in time for settlers to put in a crop for next year, it will mean hardship, destitution, sickness and death among hundreds of settlers who have been long on its borders waiting for homes.

Centennial Celebration.

FR. RECOVERY, Ohio, Oct. 15.—Notwithstanding the wet and cold weather to-day, fully 10,000 people were here taking part in the centennial celebration. The interest to-day was in the rows of coffins in the church, containing the remains of soldiers who fell in the battle of Ft. Recovery. These remains will be buried to-morrow in the new Federal cemetery. Interesting addresses were delivered in the afternoon.

Killed by Escaped Convict.

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 15.—Late Japanese advices say that a number of convicts escaped from a station near Vladivostok and came in collision with sailors from a wrecked French war ship and killed several of them.

Changed Just a Little.

HILLSBURG, Pa., Oct. 15.—Rev. Dr. Robinson, president of the Sabbath observance association, stated this afternoon no more would be taken this week against the Sunday newspaper, as reported.

WHISKEY AND JEALOUSY

Jim Connors Throws His Rival From a Third-Story Window.

WELL KNOWN DENVERITES

Much Excitement Caused by the Crime—The Murderer Formerly an Officer in the Fire Department.

DENVER, Oct. 15.—Whiskey and jealousy were the cause of an awful tragedy early this morning. The notorious Jim Connors and Mike Ryan were drinking in a saloon after midnight and Connors being teased by his friends over the fact that his mistress, a Mrs. Daleoff, had deserted him for C. J. Finnium, became so enraged that he took Ryan and going to Mrs. Daleoff's room, broke open the door and found her with Finnium. Finnium was ordered to dress, after which he was knocked down, bound and gagged and then carried to the window and thrown into the alley three stories below. His jaw was broke, both eyes put out and his skull laid open till the brain was exposed. He died in a short time. Connors and Ryan were arrested. The prominence of the offenders made the case unusually interesting. Ryan, until lately, was one of the officers of the fire department, but is now under bonds for drugging and robbing a man. Connors was first lieutenant of police, but is now under bonds for trial for attempting to hold up and rob the Rio Grande train three years ago.

WORLD'S FAIR MATTERS.

Major Handy's Office Will Not Be Declared Abolished.

CHICAGO, Oct. 15.—Major Handy, chief of the department of publicity and promotion of the world's fair, talking to-day concerning the statement that the directory is endeavoring to have his bureau abolished, said he had learned it is the opinion of several directors, including some of the men who were most eager to scatter fair news broadcast at the start, but the newspapers are flouting out too much, and want the fair run with closed doors. "I am not here," said Major Handy, "to suppress things, and if the fair is to be run on the star chamber plan, I am out of my place." According to President Palmer, of the national commission, the board of control will take no action looking toward the abolition of Handy's department. The board of control took no action on the \$500,000 loan matter to-day. The New York office and the Latin-American bureau, under control of Curtis, are being considered and the necessity for \$100,000 expenditures of the Curtis bureau is to be inquired into. Regarding the New York office, the suggestion has been made that its manager, Colonel Anderson, be transferred to Washington, and Mr. Elwell, his assistant, put in charge at New York. Anderson is a democrat and Elwell a republican and the political side of the matter is evoking comment.

Central American States.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 15.—The steamer San Juan arrived from Panama to-day. Among her passengers was Dr. Malania of Nicaragua. He says there is no truth of armies moving to the frontier. He thinks Salvador is quite ready to go to war with her neighbor, but will not bring on trouble by any covert acts. She has recently received a number of large field guns of the latest type.

The presidential election which occurs in a few months is absorbing the attention of the people.

J. Boyd, editor of the Panama Times-Star, who also arrived on the steamer, says there is great hope among the people on the isthmus that the French capital will again take the Panama canal and push it to completion. He thinks it could be finished in four or five years. News has reached Panama that the excavation of the Nicaragua canal at Greyton has filled up with sand.

Blaine Looks Well.

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—Senator Hale of Maine says of Mr. Blaine: "You would hardly know him for the same person that passed through Boston last June. He eats well, sleeps well, and his mind is as active and alert as ever. He passed some time with me at Ellsworth on his journey from Bar Harbor to Augusta."

Referring to the reports of Tuesday that Mr. Blaine had been the victim of paralysis, Senator Hale observed, if true, he thought a good many men might be largely benefited by a similar shock. "No," said Mr. Hale, "it's all nonsense."

Three Men Killed.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Oct. 15.—The boiler of the steamer Evangeli, plying between here and Whatcom, exploded last night, killing Gus Carlson, William Biggs and Julius Flint. Five other employees on the boat were severely scalded.

The Russian Loan.

PARIS, Oct. 15.—The Russian loan which it was yesterday announced had been negotiated by the Haskiers, it now seems, was covered seven times over in France alone. Applications from other countries were rather small.

Evangelical Work.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 15.—At to-day's session of the general conference of the Evangelical association committees on higher institutes of learning recommended the establishment of an institution in the vicinity of Chicago.

A Valid Grand Jury.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 15.—The supreme court this afternoon discharged the writ in the San Francisco grand jury case, and remanded Raymond to custody, thus sustaining the validity of the grand jury.

Another Dynamite Bomb.

VIENNA, Oct. 15.—A dynamite bomb was found on another railroad bridge at Reichenberg, in Bohemia, to-day, in the vicinity of the one recently placed which jeopardized the emperor's life.

A RIDE TO ETERNITY.

Three Newspaper Men Meet Death on the Chicago & Eastern.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 15.—A horrible accident, resulting in the death of three members of the Chicago Inter Ocean staff and serious injury to several other passengers, occurred on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad this morning about 11 o'clock, at Crete, Ill. The dead are: LEONARD WASHBURN, sporting reporter for the Inter Ocean.

FRED W. HENRY, reporter.

J. A. McCAFFERTY, artist, recently from St. Louis.

JAMES CLARK, engineer.

At Crete the train ran into an open switch. The men killed were on the engine, Henry and McCafferty having gone out for the purpose of writing up and illustrating a midnight ride on the fast train, and Washburn, who was returning from an Indiana trip, having joined his friends on the engine. The accident came without warning, and as the locomotive plunged from the track the men were caught and completely buried beneath the wreck. President Saul of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois road started with a special train for the scene of the wreck as soon as notified. Medical aid accompanied the president and everything possible was done for the injured. The engine and baggage car were completely destroyed, and two passenger coaches and a sleeper were more or less damaged. The round house at the switch was destroyed and fell upon the wrecked engine. Fireman Lafferty jumped from the engine and escaped with slight injuries.

A DEVILISH CONSPIRACY.

Twice Indicted on a Charge of Murder—The Alleged Victim Discovered.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 15.—James A. Brock, formerly of St. Louis but now a resident of El Paso, Texas, and who is now in this city, is here in the most sensational occurrence in criminal annals. For over 14 years Mr. Brock has labored under the suspicion of being the murderer of his cousin, Frank Woolsey, who disappeared in 1877 and has been twice indicted. Brock alleges though he has been persecuted all these years, he felt confident Woolsey was not dead, but that it was a conspiracy among the Woolseys to rob him of his ranch. He spent a large sum of money to locate Woolsey and has just found him in Benton, Ark. He says he has positive evidence that will convict the Woolseys of conspiracy.

Woman's Work.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Oct. 15.—At to-day's session of the national congress for the advancement of women reports were read from vice presidents detailing progress in the various states. In several states women have been employed as sanitary and tenant inspectors and in Illinois they are clothed with police powers. Mrs. Wolcott, president of the committee on science, reported good progress by women in scientific fields. A number of interesting papers were read at the afternoon session and Mrs. Julia Ward Howe discussed the dangers arising from "Aliens in America," with special reference to the condition of foreign women.

Bankers Meeting.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 15.—At to-day's session of the California bankers' convention the report of the executive council was read. It declared against the endorsing of any views on national financial matters, believing the topics to be treated should be of local character. Bank Commissioner Gibberding read an address in which he stated there were three important subjects which have not met the attention everywhere that they deserved. These were: irrigation, immigration and the Nicaragua canal. He declared if the canal were built farmers would save six million dollars annually in transportation.

Diseases in Books.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 15.—A paper on "Contagious Diseases" was read before the American Librarians' convention to-day by Gardner Jones of Salem, Mass., who said of 52 replies to queries, all but one stated no cases were known where the disease was communicated by the circulation of books. The Chicago plan, whereby the health department cooperates with the librarians in disinfecting books during the prevalence of contagious diseases, was recommended.

Lieutenant Russell Heard From.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 15.—The apprehension felt for the safety of Lieutenant Russell and party was allayed to-day by the receipt of a letter from him bearing date of Sept. 23. The ascent of Mount St. Elias was attempted, but unsuccessfully. The party reached the height of 14,600 feet, leaving a thousand feet yet to be surmounted.

Thousands of Dead Fish.

DEBQUE, Iowa, Oct. 15.—There are thousands of dead fish along the shores of the Mississippi. The river fell lower than for 20 years, leaving large numbers of fish in pools, which gradually dried up and the fish have since died on the bed of the scorching sand. This state of affairs exists for miles along the river.

London Notes.

LONDON, Oct. 15.—The health of Mrs. Parnell shows no signs of improvement. She is still very weak and is confined to her bed.

The St. Stephens Review claims it has authority to state that Salisbury has offered the leadership of the conservative party in the commons to Balfour.

General Lee Dead.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Oct. 15.—Gen. W. H. Lee, second son of Gen. R. E. Lee, died at Ravensmouth, Fairfax county, this evening. He had represented this district in congress for two terms and was a member of the next house. The cause of his death was heart trouble and dropsy.

Shuffled Off Together.

CANTON, Oic., Oct. 15.—Annie Lacy, a colored girl aged 13, was shot and killed to-day by Charles Hawkins, also colored, who boarded at the house. He then suicided. The cause of the tragedy is unknown.

THE SIGHTS IN RUSSIA

Colonel Weber Tells of a Few Things He Saw in the Czar's Land.

SUFFERINGS ARE TERRIBLE

Arrogant Laws and High-Handed Exercise of Power—A Filthy People—The Contemplated Report.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Colonel Weber, superintendent of immigration, who left here July 8 to investigate the industrial and social condition of European countries, notably Russia, has returned. Today, in an interview, he said: "As for Russians and their laws, they are the worst I ever saw. With arrogant police laws, unjust and high-handed exercise of power and the general wretchedness of the people, the country is in a dreadful state. We were five days at St. Petersburg, delayed there awaiting an audience with the minister of the interior. We had finally to leave without meeting him. Every day in Russia our passport was taken up and handled until it became actually filthy. While at St. Petersburg we were summoned before the police, but convinced them we were not spies. I may say this, anticipating our report: In Russia we found the conditions that affect immigration so grave and peculiar in character that we do not feel warranted in speaking of them except in the form of an official report, accompanied by corroborative evidence. If I could tell you what we saw in Russia, it would not be believed."

SIX SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Experiences of the Crew of a Navy Vessel in a Storm.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—With her port hawse hole smashed, the main deck sheathing cracked and six men severely injured, two probably fatally, the United States steamship Atlantic came to anchor off Bedloe's Island at 8 o'clock to-night, after a severe struggle with the elements that any ship of the navy has experienced. On Monday night her decks were swept by terrific seas, which smashed the port hawse hole, cracked the sheathing of the main deck and flooded the berth deck. An enormous wave breaking on her quarter, flooded the double compartment between the hold and the berth deck. This deck is divided by a partition, the forward being the collision compartment and the aft the store room. In the collision compartment was stored a quantity of Japan dryer, the case of which is naphtha. Pumps were rigged to relieve the vessel of water and a light was lowered, when the naphtha exploded. Frank Craven James, seaman apprentice, and James Monahan, blacksmith, were fatally injured by breathing the ignited vapor. The others injured are Henry Helja, seaman; Alice Nacme, landman; John Eli, marine, and Joseph Merriam, seaman.

Suffering in Mexico.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Oct. 15.—John H. Gardner, Baptist missionary, who for the past five years has been engaged in religious work in the state of Sonora, Mexico, arrived here to-day from Hermosillo. He states the drought in the state is the severest in years. There is great suffering among stock in the Guaymas valley and on ranches west of there. A thousand head of horses and cattle died from starvation and thirst and ranchers are much alarmed. The farmers are also in a destitute condition.

Saviors of the Heathen.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 15.—At to-day's meeting of the American Board of Missions a committee consisting of Drs. Angell, Rankin and Storr, were appointed to wait on the state department authorities and insist upon reparations from the Spanish government for the outrage at Ponope. Advices were read of the several handsome donations for missionary work. One lady promised the first \$1,000 of the \$50,000 for the Tung Cho college, China. All former officers were re-elected.

Harrison's Answer.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—President Harrison has replied to the protest sent him by the San Francisco chamber of commerce against the postoffice site, recently selected. The president says: "The law gives me no power over the question, but has constituted a board to decide it. I cannot do more than to refer your protest to the secretary of the treasury." No reply has yet been received to the protest sent to Postmaster General Wanamaker.

Woman's Christian Association.

CHICAGO, Oct. 15.—The international congress of the Woman's Christian association to-day discussed plans for strengthening the central organization. A ripple of excitement was caused by the introduction of a protest from Philadelphia calling on the conference to pronounce against the Sunday opening of the world's fair. A committee was appointed to prepare resolutions on the subject.

Students Under Arrest.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 15.—The government has closed the universities of Kieff and placed 300 students under arrest. The action is taken on account of the recent revolutionary behavior of the students.

Alleged Murderers.

OMAHA, Oct. 15.—Twenty-one alleged lynchers were arraigned in police court this afternoon, but the case was postponed until Monday next.

Northern Pac. Co. Election.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—At the annual meeting of the Northern Pacific railroad to-day, the directors re-elected the old officers.

Large Winnings.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—The Dwyer club this season won \$175,000, the highest of any stable's winnings.